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Applicant: Jiri BABEJ Group Art Unit: 3725

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For: METHOD FOR THE PRODUCTION OF HOLLOW ELEMENTS, HOLLOW ELEMENT, ASSEMBLY PIECE, AND FOLLOW-ON COMPOSITE TOOL FOR CARRYING OUT SAID METHOD

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

September 1, 2009

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Commissioner:

The Office Action dated May 5, 2009 set a shortened statutory period for response expiring August 5, 2009. Applicant respectfully petitions for a one-month extension of time, from August 5, 2009 to September 5, 2009. The requisite fee is being submitted concurrently herewith. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any deficiency in fees necessary to maintain the pendency of this case to H&A Deposit Account No. 50-2929, referencing Docket No. PZ119540.

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